

# WHAT DO YOU WANT JESUS TO DO FOR YOU?? (MARK 10:46-52)

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## **ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH - (MISSOURI SYNOD)**

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### Mission Statement

*“Empowered by God’s Word, we joyfully share the Love of Jesus with all people.”*

### Vision Statement

*“We will be a vibrant, welcoming church serving the needs of our members,  
community,  
and missions by partnering with other churches and organizations while preaching  
and  
teaching the inspired Word of God and our Savior Jesus Christ.”*

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### **SUNDAY MORNINGS (SEPTEMBER – MAY)**

✠ Divine Service w/Holy Communion:

○ 9:00 a.m. (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

✠ Sunday School: 10:15 am and Adult Bible Study: 10:30 a.m.

## ANNOUNCEMENT'S:



- **WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE!** If you are a visitor, we look forward to visiting with you today and in the near future. Please write your name, address, and phone number in our visitor's book located at the back of church at the visitor's desk. We invite you to fellowship, coffee & treats following the worship service. Adult Bible Study begins at 10:30 a.m. with Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.
- **Welcome Pastor Rieger:** Pastor Rieger is our guest pastor leading today's worship service. Welcome and Thank You!
- **Individual or Family Pastoral Care:** *Please remember that Private devotion and Holy Communion are available for individuals or couples that are homebound, at greater risk for COVID, or in times of emergency. Call the church office at 507-835-2647 to schedule an appointment when needed.*
- **Live Streaming on Facebook:** The 9:00 worship service will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook.



- Happy 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary to Mark and Debbie Pehrson.
- **Waseca Circuit Reformation Celebration**, Sunday, October 31: Please join your brothers and sisters in Christ in celebrating God's continuing gifts to us through the Reformation of the church. We'll gather for a Vespers service at 4:00 p.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Morristown. Rev. Dr. Eugene Chase will be preaching. Afterward, we'll enjoy a meal together. Cost of the meal is \$10 for adults; kids' meal is \$3.
- **Secret Sisters**, please remember to send your Secret Brother or Secret Sister a card this month, along with some words of encouragement, and continue to pray for him/her.
- **Volunteer's Needed:** If you or someone you know would be interested in volunteering to be part of the Facebook Live Stream or the Radio Ministry, please contact the church office.
- At this time, we will not be having **Monday morning Bible study**. **Monday Prayer Team** will return to meeting Monday's at 10 am until further notice.
- **Mark your Calendars:** **29er's** will meet on October 27<sup>th</sup> for a potluck hosted by Bev and Gerald Schroeder.
- **In Search Of.....**The Elder's are looking for items to help our New Vacancy Pastor make a home here in Waseca. Housing has been found, now we need to find items to fill it. If you or someone you know have extra furnishings that we can borrow for a short period of time please contact the church office. All items will be returned when the vacancy is complete. Thanks for your help.
- **LIVE NATIVITY...**Collectively, over 150 volunteers from the three churches will work together beginning in September to bring the Holiday Season to Life with this illuminated spectacular event on December 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>. We invite each and everyone of you to share in this opportunity. Gather your family, call your friends. You won't want to miss the fun!! **WAIT!!** Before you stash away that patio heater or fire pit for the winter, please consider keeping it accessible to borrow it to the drive through committee on Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> to use in sense. Text Anita 507-461-5027 if you can help out.

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**St. Paul Lutheran Church**

- **Preparing for Holy Communion:** To assist our time of preparation, prayers are located in the front cover and on pages 329-330 of your hymnal. For anyone with alcohol concerns, diluted cups are located in the center of the tray. Gluten free communion wafers are available upon request.
- **Facebook Live-stream and Radio Broadcasts:** Our worship service is live-streamed on Facebook each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. (*in Facebook search for: @stpaulwaseca to locate our Facebook page.*) Our worship service is also Radio Broadcast each Sunday at 9:00 a.m. on Radio 1170 AM or 106.3 FM, and [www.newstalk1170.com](http://www.newstalk1170.com)
- **Lutheran Hour:** "The Lutheran Hour" can be heard on the following radio stations: WCCO, 830 AM radio, Minneapolis, Sunday, 6:05 AM; KDHL, 920 AM radio, Faribault, Sunday.
- **Prayer Chain:** If you would like to add someone or something to the prayer chain, please call the church office at 835-2647.
- **Sunday School:** *Meets every Sunday at 10:15 am in the Old Parish Hall for snacks, opening and then go to classrooms for lessons till 11:15 am.*

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**The Lord's Supper**

- ✠ We believe, teach, and confess in accordance with Holy Scripture that the Lord's Supper is a precious gift from God, in which Christ gives us His true body and blood, in, with, and under the bread and wine, for the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith.
- ✠ The Bible teaches that this sacrament may also be spiritually harmful when misused, (*For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. Therefore whoever eats this bread or drinks this cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of the body and blood of the Lord. But let a man examine himself, and so let him eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For he who eats and drinks in an unworthy manner eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Lord's body. For this reason many are weak and sick among you, and many sleep. 1 Corinthians 11:26-30*)
- ✠ The Lord's Supper is a testimony of the unity in faith. We ask that only those who have been instructed and who are in fellowship with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod come with a contrite and joyful heart to the Lord's Table. (*Acts 2:42 And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers*)
- ✠ Any guest wishing to receive communion here at St. Paul Lutheran Church, please speak with the Pastor or the Elder on duty, prior to the church service.

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**Greeting and Announcements**

**OPENING HYMN:** *"Above All" (Reusable Song Sheet)*

*Contemporary Ensemble*

**ORDER OF SERVICE: DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING THREE**

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**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION:**

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**Based on Psalm 126 (Responsive Reading)**

P: When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion,

**C: we were like those who dream.**

P: Then our mouth was filled with laughter,

**C: and our tongue with shouts of joy;**

P: then they said among the nations,

**C: "The LORD has done great things for them."**

P: The LORD has done great things for us;

**C: we are glad.**

P: Restore our fortunes, O LORD,

**C: like streams in the Negeb!**

P: Those who sow in tears

**C: shall reap with shouts of joy!**

P: He who goes out weeping,

**C: bearing the seed for sowing,**

P: shall come home with shouts of joy,

**C: bringing his sheaves with him.**

**Old Testament Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9**

<sup>7</sup> For thus says the LORD: "Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, 'O LORD, save your people, the remnant of Israel.'<sup>8</sup> Behold, I will bring them from the north country and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the pregnant woman and she who is in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. <sup>9</sup> With weeping they shall come, and with pleas for mercy I will lead them back, I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble for I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn.

P: This is the word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God**

**"Before the Throne of God Above" arr. D. Angerman**

**Senior Choir**

**Epistle Reading: Hebrews 7: 23-28**

<sup>23</sup> The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office, <sup>24</sup> but he holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. <sup>25</sup> Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost<sup>[a]</sup> those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them. <sup>26</sup> For it was indeed fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, innocent, unstained, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. <sup>27</sup> He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people, since he did this once for all when he offered up himself. <sup>28</sup> For the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.

P: This is the word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God**

**ALLELUIA and VERSE: Common**

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**Holy Gospel Reading: Mark 10:46-52**

<sup>46</sup> And they came to Jericho. And as he was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. <sup>47</sup> And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of

David, have mercy on me!" 48 And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" 49 And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you." 50 And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. 51 And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight." 52 And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way.

P: This is the gospel of the Lord

C: **Praise to You, O Christ**

**SERMON HYMN:** *"From God Can Nothing Move Me"*

**# 713**

**SERMON:** "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"

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**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS:**

*"At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"*

**# 633**

*"Not Unto Us"*

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*"Son of God Eternal Savior"*

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**CLOSING HYMN:** *"Salvation Unto Us Has Come"*

**# 555 (st. 1,2,5,6,10,\*11)**

**\*Stanza 11. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done In earth, as 'tis in Heaven  
Keep us in life, by grace led on, forgiving and forgiven;  
Save Thou us in temptation's hour, and from all ills; Thine  
Is the pow'r, and all the glory, Amen!**

- **The Live Nativity** is in need of empty 1 gal. milk jugs. Please rinse them and drop off at the south end of the parish hall. We need approximately 300 jugs to illuminate the path and around the scenes. Thank you.
- **Live Nativity:** LIKE TO BAKE but not in a circle? The Nativity Drive Thru needs a total of 3200 cookies (2-3" cookies) by Dec 14th delivered to St Paul Lutheran for packaging. Please call the church office to sign up.
- **Voter's Meeting Agenda Item:** With the October 2021 St Paul Lutheran Voter's Meeting, the present High School Scholarship Fund will return to the Scholarship Fund and will be available for those individuals only who are planning on continuing their education in Church Work.
- If anyone is interested or knows of someone who would like a FREE piano, please let the church office or Dennis Bickell know. You will have to haul it away but they will help you load.
- Thanksgiving Holiday Meal will be held at Christ Community Church this year.

### IN OUR PRAYERS:

- ***Hospitalized:*** Sherri Emedo (daughter of Bev and Gerald Schroeder), Michelle Fluegge (Aunt of Jess Klinger)
- ***Hospice:*** Duane Wyffels (father of Jim Wyffels)
- ***Thanksgiving & Continued Recovery:*** Jess Klinger, Glen Schultz, Alma Stueve (mother of Pam Rudolph)
- ***Thanksgiving:*** Nic and Erin Rudolph and their new baby girl Adaline Gertrude Rudolph
- ***Treatment:*** Katie Stalough (daughter of Jeanette Williams), Tim Andree (friend of Matt Klinger)
- ***50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary:*** Mark & Debbie Pehrson
- ***Those who are sick and/or in need and wish to remain unnamed.***
- ***All the service men & women who are serving in the military:*** Noah Berg, Ryan Berg, Jacob Claybaugh, Matthew Gilmore, Jordan Labiack, Jacob Lemmen, Aaron & Sarah Lenz, Jason Paschall, David Reinsbach, John Thompson
- ***Waseca Circuit Missionaries:*** Rev. Edward Naumann & Rev. Dr. Stephen Oliver (Taiwan) & John Wolff (Kenya)

### Upcoming Events:

- October 31<sup>st</sup>: Guest Pastor: Pastor Rex Longshore from Faribault
- **November 1<sup>st</sup>:** Live Nativity Planning Meeting 6:30pm at Christ the King
- November 5<sup>th</sup>: Youth Mission Team Hot Beef Commercial and Pie Drive Thru
- **November 7<sup>th</sup>:** Guest Pastor: Pastor Rieger from Trinity Lutheran in Faribault.  
St Paul (Sunday School and Congregation) Shoebox Packing Day
- November 14<sup>th</sup>: Guest Pastor: Pastor Zimmer
- **November 15<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>:** Shoebox Collection week. St Paul Lutheran Church local drop sight.
- November 29<sup>th</sup>: Live Nativity Planning Meeting 6:30 p.m. at St Paul
- **December 6<sup>th</sup>:** Live Nativity Planning Meeting 6:30 p.m. at St Paul

## **THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE: October 24<sup>th</sup>- October 31<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

### **Sunday:**

9:00 a.m. Divine Service w/Holy Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3 FM)

10:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Study

### **Monday:**

10:00 a.m. Prayer Team

### **Tuesday:**

1:00 p.m. Quilters

5:00 p.m. Youth Group

### **Wednesday:**

11:30 a.m. 29er's potluck

3:30 p.m. Confirmation 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade Classes

6:00 p.m. Contemporary Ensemble

7:00 p.m. Senior Choir

### **Thursday:**

6:00 a.m. Bible Breakfast

### **Sunday:**

9:00 am Divine Service w/Holy Communion (also Facebook Live; and Radio 1170 AM/106.3FM)

10:15 am Sunday School

10:30 am Adult Bible Study

## **SERVING THE LORD IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE:**

### **THIS WEEK:**

**ORGANIST:** Kaleb Schmidt

**ACOLYTE:** Traehvon Miller-Nelson

**ELDER/DEACON:** Kevin Froslan/Kraig Deling

**RADIO MONITOR:** Ron Wood

**FACEBOOK LIVE:** Madison Olsem

### **NEXT WEEK:**

**ORGANIST:** Cindy Wood

**ACOLYTE:** Joseph Schumacher

**ELDER/DEACON:** Kevin Froslan/Kraig Deling

**RADIO MONITOR:** Kathy Flogstad

**FACEBOOK LIVE:** Cindy Gilmore

## **LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS:**

**October 17th, 2021:**

**Worship attendance** (in person): 118

**Bible Study: 32 and Sunday School: 18**

**General Fund**(in person & Direct Deposit) : \$3547.00

**Dedicated Funds:** \$75.00 Radio Broadcast in Memory of David Weckworth